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Eighteen Washington Cemeteries to Honor Veterans with “Wreaths Across America”

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Olympia – On December 10, volunteer groups will gather at the Washington Veterans Home Cemetery in Retsil, the Washington State Veterans Cemetery in Medical Lake, and sixteen other cemeteries across the state to lay wreaths on the graves of veterans.

The event, called [“Wreaths Across America”](#), began with the Arlington Wreath Project and has spread throughout the country.

Anyone can sponsor a wreath for \$15.00, and although the wreath can’t be specified for a particular grave, it can be designated to be laid at a participating cemetery.

Just go to <http://www.wreathsasscrossamerica.org> to order on-line or to find out more about the history of “Wreaths Across America”.

For additional information about the event at Retsil:

Washington Veterans Home Cemetery Retsil - WAWVHR

1141 Beach Dr Retsil WA 98378

Volunteer Location Leader: Sean Butler

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For additional information about the event at the State Veterans Cemetery in Medical Lake:

Washington State Veterans Cemetery Medical Lake - WAWSVC

21707 W. Espanola Rd Medical Lake WA 99022

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